

Thursday, February 18, 1943.

## THE GRIMSBY INDEPENDENT

## THE THIRD PAGE

IN WHICH THE WOMAN-NEXT-DOOR LOOKS AT US, AT OUR TOWN, AND OCCASIONALLY AT THE WORLD . . .

## Mary Had A Little Cold

Mary had a little cold, but wouldn't stay at home; And everywhere that Mary went, the cold was sure to roam; It wandered into Molly's eyes and filled them full of tears— It jumped from there to Bobby's nose, and thence to Jimmie's ear. It painted Anna's throat bright red, and swelled poor Jennie's head; Dora had a fever, and a cough put Jack to bed. The moral of this little tale is very quickly said— She could have saved a lot of pain with just one day in bed!

—Lucy Tibault, in Health Magazine.

## Who Knows?

Where the the Minute Books and records of the old Mechanic's Institute and the old Public Library?

Naturally, at the first board meeting held at the new library on Depot street a new Minute Book was opened, and the old books were carefully packed up and put in a safe place. They have been there ever since.

Now these old records are being sought. Will anyone who knows their whereabouts, be good enough to call The Independent.

## George Washington (1732-1799)

He stands the noblest leader who ever was entrusted with his country's life. His patience under provocation, his calmness in danger, and lofty courage when all others despaired, his prudent delays when delay was best, and his quick and resolute blow when action was possible, his magnanimity to defamers and generosity to his foes, his ambition for his country and unselfishness for himself, his sole desire of freedom and independence for America, and his only wish to return after victory to private life, have all combined to make him, by the unanimous judgment of the world, the foremost figure of history.

—Chauncey M. Depew.

## Oatmeal Steps Up

On any of those meatless, sugarless, butterless days when you are at a loss what to serve for dessert, try Oatmeal Pudding. It is delicious, nourishing and has good "staying" qualities. It's easy to make, too.

One cup quick cooking oats, 1 cup raisins, or currants 2 lbs. brown sugar or honey, 1 cup buttermilk or thick milk, 1 tsp. baking soda, 1 tsp. salt, 1 tsp. cinnamon, 1/2 tsp. nutmeg, cloves and pastry spice, 1/2 tsp. vanilla.

To make thick milk—if you can't get buttermilk—put 1 teaspoonful of vinegar in a cup of whole milk and let sit in a warm place until it sours and thickens.

Dissolve the soda in the sour milk; mix all the other ingredients together in the top of a double boiler. If you can't get raisins or currants use peel. Add the milk to the mixture and stir until smooth. Cook over boiling water for one hour. Serve with cream or sauce. This will serve four to six people.

## Newspaper Talk

It was a native son of Germany, Johann Gutenberg, born in Mainz in 1400, who is generally conceded to have invented the art of employing movable types in printing, probably about 1450. The first newspaper was published in Germany about the year 1612. Those were Germany's brightest and best days, when the arts and crafts had reached their greatest heights.

When James I was king the first weekly newspaper appeared in England. That was in 1622—unhappy times, for James didn't get on any too well with his Parliament, sold on the idea of the "divine right" of kings as he was.

It was not until 1731 that France established a newspaper, in the reign of Louis XV. Those were mad, bad times in France, too, with

## Power Saving Pointer



Individual savings of electric power may seem small, but collectively they make a great addition to the power available to war industries. Scattered through Ontario and Quebec are hundreds of industrial plants which urgently need this power. Housewives can carry on their own personal power conservation drives by making certain that lamp shades, and electric light bulbs are kept clean and free from dust, as does the young housewife in the picture above. Even a small film of dust on the shades or bulbs reduces light efficiency.

the country under the direction of the King's former tutor, Cardinal Fleury.

America's first newspaper came off the press in 1690, at Boston, but not having the proper license it was suppressed by the British Colonial Government. The Boston News Letter began publication as a weekly in 1704, and in 1775 Benjamin Towne converted his Philadelphia Evening Post and Daily Advertiser into America's first daily newspaper.

In the spring of 1776 Benjamin Franklin and two other commissioners were sent by Congress to Montreal to instruct the Canadians in the true principles of the patriot cause. Montreal was then in the hands of the Americans under General Richard Montgomery, who afterwards lost his life in an attempt to take Quebec. Benjamin, one of the most astute men of his time, set up a small printing press as an aid to instilling the ideas of the enlightened Americans into the minds of the trappers and traders of Canada. The results were so negligible that he left Canada and departed whence he came, in company, doubtless with his fellow commissioners.

Canada had no newspaper during the whole of the French rule. In 1794 the Quebec Gazette, now The Chronicle, came into being. It pledged itself to support Liberty, Virtue and Morality, and to avoid Party Prejudice and Private Scandal. Forty years later (1834) Le Canadien, the first newspaper for the French Canadians in their own language appeared.

In 1855, one hundred and twenty-one years after the Quebec Gazette came on the scene, The Grimsby Independent, that bright particular star, appeared on the journalistic horizon.

## What! No Butter?

On our way to business this morning we met Miss Mallow from next door coming home with her groceries. Miss Mallow has the commendable habit of doing her shopping early in the morning, usually walking down town as far as the corner with the children going to school.

We could see she had something on her mind, so, after passing the preliminary time of day, didn't she come out with the same poser that had been exercising us: "Do you think we should have to pass out coupons for that ersatz butter all the stores are loaded to the gunwales with?" (Miss Mallow comes of a seafaring family; she pronounced it "gunnels").

It appears that some of the stores in town have been able to obtain a considerable stock of what, in the Old War, we used to call margarine—and a very good substitute it is too, when real butter is scarce. Of course, the grocers can't sell much of it because everybody's on their next to last butter coupon. Butter, butter, everywhere, and not a coupon left. Why shouldn't we be allowed to buy this ersatz butter without benefit of coupons? The more of this butter we use, the more good butter there will be to make up our overseas quota.

## Simon-Pure

"Simon-pure" means real, genuine, true, sincere, not affected. "He is the simon-pure, blown-in-the-glass, dyed-in-the-wool friend of the public; none other is genuine," writes a newspaper ironically of a politician to whom it is bitterly opposed.

The term "simon-pure" comes from an old play, "A Bold Stroke for a Wife," by Mrs. Susannah Centlivre, an Englishwoman who was born in 1667 and died in 1723. In it a Colonel Feignwell passes himself off for Simon Pure, and wins the heart of Miss Lovely. No sooner does he get the assent of her guardian than the veritable Quaker shows himself and proves, beyond a doubt, that he is the real Simon Pure. Before he can do so, however, he is treated as an imposter and is put to no end of trouble to prove his identity.

—Everyday Sayings.

## Make It Last

Treat your kitchen ware kindly, especially metal utensils, for it may be a long time before any new ones are made.

Iron pots should be washed in hot sudsy water, or hot soda and water, and must be dried thoroughly. If rust appears, remove it with steel wool. For long slow cooking an iron pot is a "must."

Earthenware and pottery should not be soaked. Wash with rich soaps and a brush or fine abrasives to remove greases.

More and more attractive glassware is coming into use. This is usually easy to clean with soap and water. Before using new glassware or pottery, put it on the stove in a kettle of cold water and bring to the boil. This process toughens it. Be sure and do this, too, if you get a fine china cup and saucer for Christmas, or table glassware.

Tin and aluminum ware need delicate handling, so avoid harsh abrasives or scrubbing.

## Cheese Digestible If Cooked Properly

The use of cheese as a substitute for meat is recommended by Nutrition Services. One pound of cheese contains approximately as much protein as two pounds of round steak, and is an exceptionally rich source of calcium.

Even young children digest cheese well, especially if it is combined with other foods which dilute it somewhat, as fruits, or vegetables. Always remember that too long cooking or too high a temperature toughens cheese and makes it less digestible.

It is not always realized that cheese can be substituted for part of the daily milk ration. A piece of firm cheese like Canadian cheddar, one inch square and one half-pint of milk, cottage cheese contains more moisture, and being less concentrated, takes one and a half cups to equal the food value of half a pint of milk.

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## Dead Head

A "dead head" is one who gets a pass, or free admission to a theatrical performance, a ball game, etc., for which admission is charged. The term is very old, and most authorities cast no light on its origin. According to some however, it arose from an old-time custom of marking passes with the sign of the skull and cross-bones, or "dead head."

In ancient Greece the theatres were opened at sunrise or even as soon as daybreak, and the spectators assembled very early, in order to get good seats. As the theatres were built at the public expense, at first seats were free. But this caused so great a commotion and contest for seats, that a law was passed at Athens under which a fee for admission was required. This was fixed, for a time at least, at two oboli. But under the influence of Pericles, another law was enacted requiring the proper magistrate to furnish from the public treasury the amount of this fee to everyone who applied for it.

—Everyday Sayings.

## Sunday School Lesson

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21st

## Jesus The Good Shepherd

St. John, Chapter 10:1-30.

## GOLDEN TEXT

I am the good shepherd, the good Shepherd giveth his life for his sheep. John 10:11.

## An Introduction to the Lesson

The discourse on the Good Shepherd followed close after the healing of the blind man in our last Sunday's lesson. It was spoken by Jesus to an assemblage consisting of His immediate disciples and the group of Pharisees who had complained because of His work of mercy on the Sabbath day. The Lord Jesus is presented as the Shepherd in three different ways. As the good shepherd, He gave His life for the sheep. As the great shepherd, He came forth in triumph from the tomb and now watches over His flock, guiding them through this world of sin and danger. As the chief shepherd, He is Lord of all the under shepherds who will render their accounting to Him and receive their rewards from Him.

## The Heart of The Lesson

The Shepherd of Our Lord tells us of His deep love for His ransomed flock. "He loved the Church and gave Himself for it." Although the revelation of the mystery of the Church was not given until later, we have the same precious truth set forth in this tenth chapter of John's gospel under a different figure. It is one flock rather than one body, but it embraces the same redeemed company, gathered under the protecting care of the One Shepherd.

## Application

If a sheep of Christ were ever lost, it would be plucked from the Shepherd's hand, and that is an impossibility. Do we realize and rejoice in our security?

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## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Jan. A. Jackson, Hamilton, was a weekend visitor with his sister Mrs. L. A. Brownley.

Pte. Alleyne Silver, C.W.A.C. of Toronto, spent the weekend with friends in Grimsby.

Deputy-Reserve George Crittenden, Grimsby Beach has been confined to his home with an attack of the flu.

Then. Mackie, North Grimsby Road Bupt. has been laid up at his home for some days with an attack of the flu.

Cadet W. Lloyd Fisher, graduated from the O.T.C. Brockville on Saturday as Lieutenant and will spend the next two months at Barryfield completing his R.C.O.C. course.

Friends of Mrs. J. C. Dafou, Robinson street, south, will be glad to hear that she is progressing nicely following an operation in Hamilton General Hospital.

Sgt. Wm. Kilby, of the New Zealand Air Force, was a visitor at the home of Councillor and Mrs. Henry Bull last week. He was a "Buddy" at Pearce, Alta. air camp, of Sgt. Lloyd Bull.

Sgt. Harry Groff, R.C.A.F. and Mrs. Groff, are visiting with Mrs. Groff's parents, Leslie and Mrs. Blanchard, Robinson street south. Mrs. Groff will reside with her parents for the rest of the duration.

The many friends of Mrs. W. W. Johnson, who has been seriously ill in Hamilton hospital, will be pleased to know that she is much improved. Col. Johnson was called from his Command in the Northern Area on Saturday due to her illness.

The engagement is announced of Mary Margaret, youngest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCartney, Grimsby, to Edward Edmond, youngest son of Mrs. Louis Chemier and the late Mr. Louis Chemier, Hull, Quebec; the wedding to take place quietly early in March.

The many friends in this district of Robert and Mrs. Hughes, Main street west will regret to hear of their serious illness. Mr. Hughes is confined to the Kemp Nursing Home where he is gradually regaining his health. Mrs. Hughes suffered from a severe attack of pneumonia but is now on the mend.

### Trinity United Church

W. J. WATT, B.A., B.D.  
Minister.

SUNDAY, FEB. 21st, 1943

Morning: Thou shalt not kill.  
Evenings: Pilgrim's Progress Series.

Sunday School at 2:30, Trinity Hall

### Classroom Nutrition



The important subject of Nutrition has a place in the school curriculum in Canada today. These teen-age girls are studying Canada's Official Food Rules and learning how to apply them to everyday themes. Posters and essays by High School students on nutritional programs are frequent, used in connection with community nutrition.

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### Top Flight Hair Dos



Girls in the armed forces in Ottawa got a break this season when Antoinette, the internationally known hairdresser, created special coiffures to meet their needs—no hair hanging below the collar of their coats and simplicity of styling in the interest of neatness and speed in arrangement. Above, two styles are shown for the long haired girls.

### Obituary

#### MRS. ANNE MARIE CHENERY

The death occurred Wednesday of Mrs. Anne Marie Chenery at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. E. Black, 150 Hughson street south, Hamilton, in her 57th year. Mrs. Chenery was born in Grimsby and for the last five years made her home in Hamilton. She was a devout Catholic and a member of St. Joseph's Church. Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Black, with whom she made her home, and Mrs. Kathleen Weller, of Niagara Falls, Ont.; a brother, George Farrel, of Hamilton; a sister, Mrs. Charles Ward, of Dundas; four grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

### Coming Events

The Annual Meeting of Lincoln Loyalist Chapter, I.O.D.E., will be held in the Chapter Room on Monday, February 22nd, at 2:45 sharp. A full attendance of members is urgently requested.

The Sew-We-Knit Red Cross group is to meet at the home of Mrs. Geo. Kammerer, Elizabeth St., on Friday afternoon, the 12th.

The Beaver Club of St. John's Presbyterian Church are holding a Penny Sale on Friday evening, Feb. 19th, at 8:15, at the home of Mrs. Clarence McNinch. Admission 25c.

### Nuptials

#### MARTIN—WHITESIDE

Rev. David Paton officiated in Chalmers United Church, Guelph, on Saturday evening, February 6, when Dorothy Eleanor Whiteside, College Grounds, and Leonard Blake Martin, Peterboro, took their marriage vows. The bride is the daughter of A. E. Whiteside and the late Mrs. Whiteside and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Martin.

Floral and spring flowers formed the church decorations. Mr. John Hockin was at the organ. The bride, 21, in marriage by her father, wore a floor-length gown of blush satin with full-flowing skirt. Her only ornament was a crystal necklace that had belonged to her mother. A long veil of net just caught to her hair fell in folds beyond the short train and she carried a cascade of orchids and white roses. The attendants were Miss Helen Buchanan as maid of honor and Miss Joan Whiteside, niece of the bride, as junior bridesmaid. They were gowned alike in floor-length dresses of heaven blue crepe, dirndl style, with matching Queen Anne headresses and bouquet of violets.

Leading Aircraftman Jack Ferguson, No. 4 Wireless school, was best man, and the ushers were Herbert Ramsom, O.A.C.; James Connor, O.A.C.; Gordon Whiteside, Ottawa; and Harold Whiteside, Guelph.

At the home of the bride's father, Mrs. Harold Whiteside received in an orchid sheer dinner dress with headress of purple violets and corsage of coral roses. The mother of the groom, assisting, chose an aquamarine dinner dress with matching turban and yellow rince. After a short wedding trip the newly-weds will reside in Peterboro. For going away the bride changed to a sunniblue wool jersey dress with gros grain ribbon belt and corsage of orchids.

The bride is a sister to Harold Whiteside of the Graham-Whiteside Nurseries, Grimsby.

Grimsby attendants at the wedding were Mrs. Eva Graham, Mrs. Graham Whiteside, and Miss Helen Cloughley.

### Grimsby Public Library

Grimsby district people last year read 25,203 books from the Library. And this was not all, they also took home 3,425 magazines to read. Of the books 3,551 were non-fiction, which goes to show that a goodly section of the reading public likes to get its literary teeth into something it can chew.

The quantity of literature the children absorbed in the past year is amazing: no less than 10,000 books were carried home by the younger generation, ranging from first graders to High School students.

In all there were 1,560 more books and magazines read in 1942 than in the previous year, a most gratifying showing.

At the Annual Meeting of the Library Board last Thursday evening, Harold B. Matchett was re-elected chairman of the board for a second term. The standing committees remain as they were the previous year:

Property — P. E. Tregunno, Mayor E. S. Johnson.

Finance — P. V. Smith, W. H. Parsons.

Book—Miss C. Freshwater, Harold Johnson.

Some 805 new books were added during 1942; of these 100 were non-fiction and 200 juveniles. The cost was \$516.00. Twenty-five periodicals and three newspapers are to be found on the reading tables. The sum of \$86.00 was spent on bookbinding. Fines for overdue books increased the revenue of the library to the extent of \$141.00.

### Light Session Of Township Council

North Grimsby council will pay its county rate this week. Money for same being arranged for through the Canadian Bank of Commerce. About \$100 in interest charges will be saved.

George Fair and Charles J. Delaplane appeared before council on behalf of the Cottagers' Association asking for assistance in the disposal of garbage and refuse in the Beach.

Vital statistics for 1942 were: birth, 12; deaths, 20; marriages, 12.

Tax Collector McIntosh reported collection up to January 30th as follows:

Prepaid 1942 taxes	\$5,054.00
Arrears for 1942	1,546.79
Arrears for 1941	721.53
Arrears for 1940	545.21
Arrears for 1939	279.62
Arrears for 1938	176.50
Interest	106.96
Total	\$9,002.80

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#### RATION BOOKS

Ration Book as it contains coupons yet to be used.

Your name and present place of residence (in the case of children, the residence of the parents) must be printed clearly in block letters.

Make sure that your serial number, including letters and figures as shown on the front cover of Ration Book No. 1, is clearly written on the application card. This serial number, including the two letters before the number, is your ration book identification for the duration.

Residents of Rural Areas may apply on behalf of their neighbours, providing Ration Book No. 1, and properly filled in application cards, are presented.

In the case of residents of a town or city, any senior responsible member of a household may apply for new Ration Books on behalf of other members of the

household, provided filled in application No. 1 and propresented.

Children under for new Ration Books, either for themselves or other members of the household.

From 6 p.m. until 9 p.m. — Miss Terry, Mrs. D. Cloughley, Mrs. G. Walker, Mrs. F. Fitzgerald, Mrs. Beresford Scott, Mrs. Gertrude Metcalfe, Mrs. Gordon Metcalfe, Mrs. K. Ramsay, Mrs. K. C. Baxter, Mrs. A. M. Atton, Mrs. Harold Jarvis.

From 6 p.m. until 9 p.m. — Miss Mary Irvine, Miss Doris McBride, Miss K. Metcalfe, Miss Penelope Smith, Miss Olive Kitchen, Mrs. Horace Farrell, Mrs. Donald Awde, C. Michael Hourigan, J. Martin, P. V. Smith, Carl King, Horace Farrell, Vernon Tuck, Miss May Crittenden.

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### Women's Institute

Meeting at the home of Mrs. Geo. F. Warner on Tuesday afternoon, the Grimsby Women's Institute had an animated discussion on Historical Spots in Canada, in which every member added something of interest.

The Branch has arranged to hold a social evening every two weeks for the purpose of adding to the sugar fund. The husbands of the members and other men friends of the Institute will be welcome at these social evenings. The first will be held at the home of Mrs. Robert Walker on Thursday, February 26th.

Mrs. H. E. Farrell presented a well-written paper on the copy of Magna Charta, which is preserved in Lincoln Cathedral, England; a description of the famous cathedral being also given. Mrs. W. Lothian followed with the story of Satan's footprints on Whitehead Island, off the eastern coast of Nova Scotia. Mrs. Hermiston and Mrs. Wm. Layton also took part in the program.

The March meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. S. Murphy Mountain street, the program being based on Music in the Home. Mrs. E. L. Sutherland will be the convener.

### Study In Black And White



This attractive small person takes the business of eating seriously, as he tucks into his supper of cereal and milk. Canada's Nutrition Program is vitally concerned with building a strong Canada by improving the health of all its citizens through better nutrition. Milk and cereals should play an important role in the diets of both young and old.

## NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS

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Will you please accept this as a friendly reminder from the editor about your account. We are doing our best to give you a real newspaper, and to accomplish this we need YOUR co-operation.

Government rationing of Newsprint due to labor, power and transportation, has been announced and is now in effect.

Sending papers past expiry date when renewal is not received is causing a cash loss to us, and wastes newsprint. This, in the case of those who accept extra copies and do not renew.

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"See Here, Private Hargrove"—Hargrove  
"Ducks, Geese and Swans of North America"—Hortright

"Italy From Within"—Massock



**MARKET SALE**

MOUNTAIN VIEW FAIRYLAND  
(Ridge Road East)

Sat., February 20

Farm Implements, Livestock, Household Effects, and many other articles saleable.

If you have anything to sell, bring it to the Mountain View Fairylane before or at the time of the sale. We have many articles for sale this week including Pigs, Chickens, Implements, Furniture, also a gas stove with eight way burners and brand new Royalite heater, and many other articles.

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**BREVITIES**

EVENTS and TOPICS  
of the WEEK in  
TABLOID

Owl's Club next Thursday night.  
Grimsby Arena closes for the season on March 6th.

Beamsdale Fire Department is being increased from 14 to 20 men.

Get your Ration Book next Monday, or be out of luck and grub too.

One public school teacher and many pupils are confined to their homes with measles.

Water Commission did not meet on Tuesday night, but is meeting tonight (Thursday).

Village of Port Dalhousie and South Grimsby have prepaid their County rate of \$5,000.

Jas. A. Sinclair has been appointed secretary of Beamsdale Board of Education for the 20th consecutive year.

Fred. Chivers, son of Archie and Mrs. Chivers has joined the Canadian Navy. His older brother has been in the Navy for the past three years.

J. Goodman Pettigrew, Reeve of South Grimsby, joined the Benedictines on Thursday last in Hamilton. The bride was Mrs. Edna St. John of that city, formerly of Stoney Creek.

L-Cpl. Harvey Eason who has been stationed at Listowel for some time, is now located at the new Ipperwash Camp, near Forest. Another Grimsby lad, Pte. Ted Twocock, is also there.

Detective Speaker of Hamilton police department called Chief Turner at 6:30 on Friday night and reported a stolen car. At eight o'clock the Chief picked up Peter Booth in charge of the car. He was turned over to Hamilton police.

Under the new rationing restrictions store hours of the Grimsby Liquor Control Board will be from 10 a.m. until 6 p.m. daily except Wednesday when the hours will be 10 a.m. until 1 p.m. Weeks when a statutory holiday is observed then the store will remain open on Wednesday afternoons.

William Newton of New Toronto, spent the weekend with his brother John Newton, Oak street, 25 or more years ago "Bill" was a resident of Grimsby and played on the old Grimsby Soccer football team, being considered at that time one of the best soccer players in the district.

Grimsby Town council spent four hours in hot debate on Wednesday night over the question of whether they would hire ladies for the police force, or not. No decision was arrived at when the session adjourned. —No folks that did not happen here, but in Grimsby, England, according to the News of that town.

Although the order prohibiting production of small packages of cigarettes and pipe tobacco will not go into effect until April 30, officials of the tobacco administration of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board forecast that supplies on hand would be exhausted by the end of this month, with only a few local exceptions.

Do you listen to Andy Clarke and his "Neighbourly News" program over C.B.I. at 10 o'clock on Sunday morning? If not you are missing something. For the last two Sundays Grimsby has been the highlight spot on the menu. Listen in this Sunday for even if Grimsby is not mentioned it is a whale of a good program.

Flight Sgt. Bert Fife, R.C.A.F. played on Beamsdale's hockey team in the game against Smithville at the arena on Monday night. This is the first time Bert has been on the team since 1939. In the meantime he spent two years in the bombing the enemy in the Libyan desert and also at Tripoli. He now is an instructor at an R.A.F. station in East Africa.

A recasting of the National War Labor Board, which reduces its active membership to three from 12, and cloaks its with the function of an industrial court, was announced last week by Prime Minister Mackenzie King. In addition to Mr. Justice C. P. McTague of Toronto, whose succession to Labor Minister Mitchell as chairman was made public last week, the new board will consist of Senator Joseph J. Bench of St. Catharines, representing employees, and J. J. Cohen, K.C., Toronto labor lawyer, representing employers.

Grimsby fire department had a run to a chimney fire at the Romak home, Kerman avenue on Saturday afternoon.

The annual convention of the Ontario Association of Rural Municipalities, will be held in the Prince George Hotel, Toronto, February 23 and 24.

"Grimsby Ice Rink, Ladysmith Road, Now Open For The Season". So reads an advertisement in the Grimsby (Eng.) News. So our neighbours in Britain skate too.

Harry Alger Tregaskes, 18 St. Andrew's Avenue, received his certificate as a Lieutenant at the Canadian Army Officers' Training Centre, Brockville, on February 13th.

A plane from the St. Catharines airport was forced down on the Beamsville fair grounds during the heavy snowstorm on Saturday. Two American airmen, from Alabama, were unharmed.

Spring is a long way off, but that does not stop a kid, 16 below zero. Four feet of snow on the ground, still a group of young Grimsbyites were playing marbles on Main street on Tuesday afternoon.

**Home Burned**

A small one story frame house, owned by Norman Wilcox and occupied by Frances West and family, on the Smithville-Grimsby stone road, just south of the Elm Tree road was burned to the ground on Tuesday night.

Grimsby Fire Department received a call at 10:50, but by the time they reached the scene the building was razed.

Mr. West and family were away from home at the time and are the losers of all the furniture, clothes and \$48 in cash which was in a dresser drawer. Fire Chief LePage believed the blaze started from an overheated stove.

**Lions Club**

Rev. George Taylor-Munro is in charge of arrangements for the dedication in the public library of a flag which was flown over London during the Battle of Britain and was later sent to the local Lions Club by Col. Gordon Sinclair. P. V. Smith and Harold Matchett were last night appointed as a committee to arrange suitable wording for a plaque which will be placed beneath the flag in the library.

Other business done at last night's meeting of the Lions Club included: Appointment of three judges—one club member and two outsiders—for the citizenship award; appointment of a committee composed of R. C. Bourne, William Hewson, E. J. Marsh, Eric Ewing and Ralph Boehm, to arrange a program to be held in the arena during the first week of March in connection with the opening of the Red Cross drive. Hugh Campbell, Fred Jowson and Ewart Stonehouse were appointed as a nominating committee to arrange a various committees for this year's carnival. Various plans in connection with opening of proposed hospital at the Deer Park Golf Club were discussed.

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**CRASH FOURTH COLUMN**

from the glamour with which the CBC has surrounded Andy," writes Charley Jenkins, radio editor of the Globe and Mail. "In the interest of radio history it should go on record that he was not, by many years, the first news-caster in Canada." As a matter of fact, The Globe and the Star both were on the air with daily newscasts at least four and five years before Andy came on the scene in February of 1927. The Globe over CKNC and the Star over CFC. If anybody, Eddie Bowes, pioneer radio engineer and broadcaster, has the stoutest claim to being Canada's first broadcaster of news, in the very early 1920's, though the late Bob Coombes, engineer and experimenter, possibly anticipated Eddie on his little above station, CKNC, father of CKNC, grandfather of the CBC's present CBY."

If the above is correct, and no doubt it is, appearing as it does in "The Fourth Column", then Andy at least rates third in the pioneer newscasting list and that is a right smart rating when one considers the hundreds of news dispensers on the air today.

What is more important though, is the fact that Andy is still on the air and broadcasting for newspapers. Not hysterical city dailies, but real newspapers, the weekly newspapers of Canada, which are the backbone of the country.

Andy's "Neighbourly News" broadcast, sponsored by the Canadian Weekly Newspaper Association, over CBC every Sunday morning has one of the largest followings of radio listeners of any programme on the CBC system.

Here's something else again. The Independent must be producing the news and the stories or it would not be a subject for discussion in "The Fourth Column" and by radio editors.

Do you read your own or do you borrow your neighbours?

**GRIMSBY PEACHES**

commercial ways of using these transports after the war.

To show that you are not alone in your thoughts on this idea of "Fruit by Air", I listened two weeks ago to an address by Mr. Sam Fraser, Secretary of the International Apple Association.

This Association has members in all the Apple producing countries of the world. Mr. Fraser said that their Association was looking forward, after the war, to seeing forklifts of Apples travelling by air, in huge glider transports towed by planes; any of the World's Markets would be only a matter of hours away.

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The earlier you make your ap-  
plication the better off you will be.

**SHIVERY, 14 BELOW**

past month of January the low at  
was one above. On December 19-  
20, it dropped to 10 below.

Sunday was a bad day for trav-  
elling as a high wind prevailed  
and over the mountain the roads  
blocked to some extent from the  
drifting snow. The Smithville-  
Grimsby road was well light im-  
passable all day.

Fruit growers are of the opinion  
that little or no damage has been  
done to the fruit crop from the  
cold spell, as they point out that  
there has been a good blanket of  
snow on the ground all winter and  
very little frost in the ground.

The weather has been pretty  
steady since the first of December  
and particularly so in January,  
with no warm days and as a result  
no sap has come up into the  
branches and there is not a vestige  
of movement in the buds.

Electric power failed three or  
four times for a few brief moments  
on Sunday night, but nothing of a  
serious nature. Gas pressure on  
the lines of the Grimsby Natural  
Gas Co. dropped to a very low  
peak on Monday morning but did  
not actually fail and housewives  
in preparing the family meals.

War-scarce brushes are vital for  
tank and airplane painting, camou-  
flage painting of barracks and fac-  
tories, wool processing and oil  
coating of war machinery.

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Leading the Fruit Belt Hockey League throughout the season, members of the Grimsby Peach Pits, also entered in Ontario Minor Hockey Association, are shown in accompanying photograph. From the left, they are, back row: Clarence Rushion (manager), James Ferris, Barry Blanchard, Basil Skebo, Harry Boyd, Douglas Whitfield.

Howard Duffield, John Clancy, Father B. A. O'Donnell (coach). Front: Michael Sweet (timer), Robert Lymburner, Walter Halinski, Clarence Rushion, Jim (mascot), Michael Laha, William Farrell, Nicholas Flimchuk.

## HOCKEY CHITTER-CHATTER

Peach Pits Panicky, Primary Period Produces Paroxysm Puck Parade — They Came, They Saw, but, Did Not Conquer — Grimsby, 12; Dunnville, 4.

By: "OFFSIDE"

Friday night at the local ice Dunnville "Lions" came with determined intention of taking Grimsby Peach Pits into camp score that would eliminate possibility of progressing further in the Juvenile O.H.A. play-downs. In the first period it looked as if they were going to carry out their resolution without much — or any — opposition for the Peach Pits were either suffering from a swelling in the region north of the shoulders or else had decided that it was more blessed to receive than to give. The result of this policy was three rapid goals scored against them before they had a single shot on their opponent's goal. However, Blanchard and Lymburner were not thoroughly in agreement with this idea and managed to register two goals before the period drew to a close. On the play in this first period the Dunnville team should have had at least a five or six goal lead, but due to poor shooting when in close had to be content with three markers. The end of the period found Squire Rushion very, very quiet — it's a fact.

We don't know what the coach of the Grimsby team said to the players during the intermission but whatever it was, it was evident that it was an altogether different team that came out of the dressing room for the start of the second period. From the drop of the puck until the bell went to end the period they were in a hockey game first, last and all the time. Blanchard, Lymburner, Duffield and Clancy were going at top speed and had changed a 3-2 score against them into an 8-4 tally with Grimsby out in front. Pitts, the main threat of the Dunnville team was well taken care of by Boyd, who was called upon to do double duty by the coach when Farrell showed a tendency to wander away from his wing. As a result of this constant shadowing by Boyd, Pitts was only able to notch one goal and this was the sole marker for Dunnville in this period.

The third period was marked by fine defensive work on the part of Clancy and Ferris. Time after time the Dunnville forwards were skated into this pair while in possession and were taken care of. Ferris, for the first time this season demonstrated that the art of a clean body-check was not something that belonged to past ages and slowed up the incoming forwards with solid jolts. Boyd, Clancy and Lymburner carried the ball in this manner and by nice combination man in four well deserved goals. The final score, Grimsby, 12; Dunnville, 4; gave the local talent a comfortable margin to carry into the return game, scheduled at this date, for Thursday evening in Dunnville. But — and that is a big BUT, eight goals have been wiped out in many a hockey game in the past and if the Peach Pits do not play heads up hockey from the start they may wind up on the wrong side of the score when the game is over.

For Dunnville, Pitts and D.

Green were outstanding, although D. Green paid a little too much attention to the man and not to the puck with the result that he spent too much time in the bastille. For Grimsby, Boyd, Clancy, Lymburner and Blanchard were outstanding. Duffield also rates a start for his marksmanship and close checking. Ferris, as mentioned above turned in his best game of the season and if he continues to use his body will prove that the road to the Grimsby nets is in reality the rocky road to Dublin. Yes! The Squire recovered from his mental laryngitis by the end of the second period and towards the end of the game was broadcasting as well as ever.

### SUMMARY

#### 1st Period

Dunnville — Pitts 1.01  
Dunnville — R. Dickson 5.08  
Dunnville — T. Long 10.30  
Grimsby — Blanchard, Flimchuk 15.00  
Grimsby — Lymburner, Boyd 19.57  
Penalties — D. Green, Duffield.

#### 2nd Period

Grimsby — Blanchard 3.30  
Dunnville — Pitts 4.28  
Grimsby — Duffield, Ferris 5.02  
Grimsby — Blanchard 12.04  
Grimsby — Clancy, (Penalty Shot) 14.30  
Grimsby — Duffield, Blanchard 17.40  
Grimsby — Duffield 19.26  
Penalties — D. Green (2).

#### 3rd Period

Grimsby — Halinski 4.45  
Grimsby — Clancy 2.25  
Grimsby — Boyd, (Lymburner) 2.34  
Grimsby — Whitfield, Boyd, Lymburner 18.06  
Penalties — Whitfield, Forester, Farrell, Before — F. Hill.

#### Teams

Dunnville — Goal, H. Green; Defense, D. Stephens, D. Green; Centre, T. Pitts; Wings, M. Robbie, T. Long; Subs — R. Jackson, H. Long, F. Krick, R. Dickson, D. Kroll, E. Minor.

Grimsby — Goal — M. Laha; Defense, Clancy and Ferris; Centre, Duffield; Wings, Farrell and Halinski; Subs, Boyd, Lymburner, Flimchuk, Blanchard, Whitfield.

### PEACH PITTS DROP FIRST GAME IN REGULAR LEAGUE CONTEST

Smithville, 8; Grimsby, 4.

In a game that was marked by close checking on the part of the winners, Smithville, for the first time this season, took the measure of the local talent by the score of six to four on Monday night in the local ice palace. For Smithville, Penell, Comfort and Tykes were outstanding and by nice combination registered all six of their goals. Tykes and Boyd were a constant worry to the Grimsby team as their backchecking was the means of breaking up repeated scoring threats by the Grimsby team. Duffield, Blanchard and Halinski were easily the best for

## SPORTOLOGY

By Bone Livingston, Sportologist

### POOR ATTENDANCE AT ARENA

Grimsby Peach Pits flashed a brand of Hockey at the Arena on Friday night that would do justice to a Junior O. H. A. team. They trimmed the Dunnville Juvenile Lions team by 12-4 and carry an eight goal lead into Midland to fight for the return game. Not many more than 100 people witnessed the affair and this is not right. The kids are playing a swell brand of hockey and deserve a good strong following of fans. Hockey teams and Arenas cannot be operated on word and snow balls, so it is up to the hockey bugs of this district to turn out in large numbers for the next game, or else the team cannot go on. The kids are deserving of strong support, particularly in view of the fact that they are in the play down and stand an excellent chance of copping the Juvenile O.H.A. championship.

**SPORTS:** Old Edi Fry, in his Dunnville Chronicle in describing the reunion of the Soo Greyhounds in Toronto called them "McNamara's Band". The Peach Kings broke up the band when they kicked the heads in of the big bass drum. Stuttering Bill Phillips, who played the bass drum, still says that Pud Reid never knew how to play hockey. Well, that was one night that Pud knew how to hamper a bass drummer . . . Herds another thought. There has never been a Soo Greyhounds team since the night of the 3rd of March, 1925. That team never played together again and there never was another team organized to take their place . . . George McNamara, now a Toronto contractor, coached the Greyhounds. In the 1924 playdowns they entered the deciding game of a tough series with Hamilton two goals down. George was asked by a reporter for some message to send from Toronto to the Sault fans. His eyes twinkling, George quoted: "There is no other course open to us but to fight it out. Every position must be held to the last man; there must be no retirement. With our backs to the wall and believing in the justice of our cause, each one of us must fight on to the end." It was Haig's famous message to the British troops after the German break-through in March, 1918. And Greyhounds won the round 8-6.

### SUMMARY

#### 1st Period

Smithville — Penell (Boyd)

Grimsby — Duffield

Smithville — Tykes

2nd Period

Grimsby — Duffield

Smithville — Penell (Boyd)

Grimsby — Duffield

Smithville — Tykes

3rd Period

Grimsby — Duffield

Smithville — Penell (Boyd)

Grimsby — Duffield

Smithville — Tykes

4th Period

Grimsby — Duffield

Smithville — Penell (Boyd)

Grimsby — Duffield

Smithville — Tykes

5th Period

Grimsby — Duffield

Smithville — Penell (Boyd)

Grimsby — Duffield

Smithville — Tykes

6th Period

Grimsby — Duffield

Smithville — Penell (Boyd)

Grimsby — Duffield

Smithville — Tykes

7th Period

Grimsby — Duffield

Smithville — Penell (Boyd)

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Smithville — Tykes

8th Period

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Smithville — Tykes

16th Period

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Smithville — Penell (Boyd)

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Smithville — Tykes

17th Period

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Smithville — Tykes

18th Period

Grimsby — Duffield

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Grimsby — Duffield

Smithville — Tykes

19th Period

Grimsby — Duffield

Smithville — Penell (Boyd)

Grimsby — Duffield

Smithville — Tykes

20th Period

Grimsby — Duffield

Smithville — Penell (Boyd)

Grimsby — Duffield

Smithville — Tykes

21st Period

Grimsby — Duffield

Smithville — Penell (Boyd)

Grimsby — Duffield

Smithville — Tykes

22nd Period

Grimsby — Duffield

Smithville — Penell (Boyd)

Thursday, February 18, 1943.

## GRIMSBY BOWLING LEAGUE

GENERAL			
Smith	180	211	183—533
Curtis	125	205	144—472
Shurtliff	183	172	186—541
Walters	172	200	220—592
Sullivan	184	185	185—474
Handicap	60	50	40—150

PONY EXPRESS			
Liddle	171	173	223—576
McGregor	180	180	180—479
Henley	183	174	154—511
Allan	62	181	183—368
Low Score	125	185	—268
W. Hand	—	187	—187

GENERAL, 2; Pony Express, 6.			
GAS HOUSE	220	149	209—718

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P. Shelton	220	149	209—718

METAL CRAFT			
Hewitt	213	271	287—771

METAL CRAFT			
Pestor	184	154	213—513

HARVEST			
Hurst	185	185	206—564

HARVEST			
Harrison	190	180	226—705

LUCY			
Colter	172	264	170—606

LUCY			
Colter	178	—	178

HARVEST			
Westlake	207	218	286—711

HARVEST			
Headlip	213	181	187—551

WILSON			
Wilson	223	196	170—506

RYAN			
Low Score	143	149	200—537

HARVEST			
Westlake	200	212	203—577

BARBERS			
Tufford	278	257	198—723

BARBERS			
Hand	150	155	160—465

TURNER			
Robertson	251	180	190—603

FORESTER			
Forester	143	119	242—262

KETTERBORN			
Handicap	60	50	60—180

HARVEST			
Westlake	1107	1000	911—3027

HARVEST			
Barbers, 2; Highway, 1.	—	—	—

OWL'S CLUB			
Lewis	183	176	167—530

HYATT			
Hyatt	140	140	165—454

MOORE			
Moore	128	141	200—269

MCNICH			
McNich	204	232	230—675

LEWIS			
Lawson	218	189	227—634

DUNHAM			
Dunham	129	129	—130

HANDICAP			
Handicap	40	30	20—90

SHEET METAL			
Liles	221	183	231—686

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### RUSSIAN RELIEF

great dimension from day to day, from night to night, without the slightest breathing-spell, without a lull on a scale unprecedented in the history of wars. There are thousands upon thousands of wounded soldiers lying upon their beds of agony. This is the picture of the Soviet Union to-day.

Taking all these factors into consideration it is not hard to imagine the crying need for medicaments, surgical instruments, bandages and warm clothing.

Those heroic people of the Soviet Union in their hour of agony and struggle are crying to us people of Canada, who are sensitive to human suffering, for the warm clothing to alleviate their intolerable suffering from severe cold winter days.

In the name of humanity you Grimsby citizens are kindly asked by the Women's Volunteer Committee to share your warmth with our homeless destitute allies in the war against Fascism. You workers of mercy and contributors can be sure in advance of the response which will be evoked by your humanitarian work and gift in the hearts of those to whom it will bring relief.

Michael Bohonak,  
Organizer.

### ISSUE ULTIMATUM

Alan Nicholson, regional timber controller at that time, and he declared that the Wartime Prices and Trade Board would not permit an increase in price, but would probably grant a subsidy to the manufacturers.

On the basis of this assurance, factories continued to do some manufacturing until Jan. 28, when representatives of the basket companies in Ontario and Quebec met with representatives of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board. They told the board that on the definite promise of help they had continued manufacturing, but they declared that they would go no further because it cost them more to make baskets than they were permitted to sell them for. The board told them they would be given help within two or three days. Manufacturers said that this help has not been received.

C. A. Farrell, Grimsby, general manager of the Canada Package Sales, Ltd., which is the selling organization for Ontario basket companies, stated that even if basket factories were to start full operations immediately, he doubted if they could meet the demand for baskets this year.

The size of the basket business is seen by his report that last year, 15,000,000 six and 11-quart baskets were manufactured in Ontario. Of these, 11,000,000 were used by the Niagara Peninsula from Burlington to the Niagara river.

He said that basket manufacturers usually have contracted for their year's supply of timber by this time of the year. But no contracts have been signed so far this year because the manufacturer is uncertain about the price he can charge for his product. They expect difficulty in securing their wood, since the government is expropriating their best wood for airplanes. Further difficulty will be experienced in getting their logs out of the forests and to factories, he said.

Supporting the action of the basket manufacturers, E. J. Marsh, general manager of the Niagara

### Earns High Post



E. D. Cotterell, recently appointed General Manager, Eastern Lines, Canadian Pacific Railway, with jurisdiction from Fort William to Halifax. Mr. Cotterell's appointment was announced by D. C. Coleman, President of the Company and his headquarters will be in Toronto, where he will report to H. J. Humphrey, vice president of the Company's Eastern Lines. Mr. Cotterell has had a wide and notable railroad experience in the United States and in Canada and comes to his present position from the General Superintendence of the Alberta District.

## Tank Destroyer That Beats Rommel's 15 MM. Gun



Many British anti-tank batteries in the Western Desert battlefields have changed their 2-pounder anti-tank guns for 6-pounders. This tank destroyer is superior to the German 15 mm. gun both in range and size of missile projected. Whereas the 15 mm. gun fires a 4½ lb. shell, the British 6-pounder fires a 6½ lb. shell. Pictures shows a British tank destroying battery in the thick of desert action, firing a 6-pounder anti-tank gun from ground position.

same crisis and drastic decision, they say.

This writer does not pretend to know from personal study whether the container industry should have the 25 per cent increase or not. He would expect the case to be strong for it or the application would not have been made at a time when all claims are subject to close study, or should be. Mr. Gordon says "No mutually satisfactory basis has yet been determined but the basis of a subsidy is under study." Yet negotiations began last October. It is the slowness in getting decisions under a regimented price economy which industry finds embarrassing, expensive and discouraging.

The free market is taken away and the substitute Government body will take no or little responsibility as to costs or supply at prices which make ceilings possible and yet insists on the ceilings until the logic of events drives them to decisions when it is almost too late. "To late" will largely veto even a good decision.

This tempest makes one wonder if there is not wrapped up in it some danger to the whole great agricultural scheme of the Dominion Government for 1942. A food ministry is intended and the public is that the new ministry is go-

ing to go all out to supply men for farm labor and to induce farmers to grow their utmost. That will, but it is plain also that growers, processors and distributors are all one problem in getting enough good food on the way to the consumer on this continent or in Britain. It is not enough to facilitate growth if processing, distribution and transportation are not also furthered. And even that is not enough. It might help us all to wonder for a while what the fruit industry would be without containers.

Possibly Mr. Gordon's energy will produce quick results. He has asked each basket company to keep records of costs of raw materials and wages, or production and of sales. That looks as if the study of whether or not a subsidy is needed is just beginning instead of four months ago when the application was made for increase. It is desirable information if a subsidy is intended and perhaps Mr. Gordon, having the matter brought to his attention, is quickly remedying something which should have been done long ago. In the meantime, however, he asks the industry to undergo considerable costs without knowing whether the eventual subsidy decision will be sound.

The fruit producer has in the past often thought container prices were too high and he has said so.

But if he were faced with a situation where the choice lay between paying a higher price and having containers or having lower prices with no containers, I do not think he would hesitate long. The consumer is getting familiar with that situation in hearing that prices are kept low for essential foods and yet at the same time finding it hard to get supplies. The producer could easily be placed in that position with raw materials unless great wisdom is shown by the price controllers. Or unless the Food Ministry insists on the price or subsidy incentives needed to make sure of supplies.

An American radio tube manufacturer who last year used 400 tons of packing materials has redesigned packages, cutting down material requirements to 250 tons.

A species of digitalis which grows wild in Chile is believed to compare favorably with that formerly imported from Europe.

## NATIONAL SELECTIVE SERVICE

### Complete Utilization of Canada's Manpower and Womanpower is Essential to Victory

National Selective Service Civilian Regulations aim at complete utilization of manpower and womanpower. Workers and employers are urged to assist the war effort by carrying them out. All civilian regulations have been consolidated and revised, main features now being as follows—

#### COVERAGE

**Employees:** Regulations cover persons of either sex from 18 to 64 years old, except provincial employees; armed services; and those in fishing, fish processing, hunting, trapping; clergymen; teachers; school teachers; domestic servants; students working after school; employees in respect of part-time employment; and any one employed for 3 days or less in a calendar week. Agricultural workers are covered by special provisions, not by the general provisions as also are "technical personnel."

**Employers:** Any person, firm or other employer, with one or more "covered" employees.

#### EMPLOYERS MUST—

(a) Refrain from discussing employment with a prospective employee unless under permit; (b) notify the nearest employment office of additional employees needed; (c) secure permission from an employment office to advertise for workers; (d) notify the employment office of intention to discharge or lay off employees, or to retain employees when not required; (e) give 7 days' notice unless a Selective Service Officer permits a reduction, or unless in the building construction industry; (f) 7 days' notice is not required unless an employee has already been employed for one month, or after fire, explosion or other calamity, or on termination of work by weather. Whether preceded by 7 days' notice or not, separation from employment requires written notice.

#### EMPLOYEES MUST—

(a) Register for work at the nearest employment office if out of work 7 days (full-time students, housewives and clergy are not included); (b) secure permit from a Selective Service Officer if going to look for work; (c) refrain from advertising for a job unless Selective Service Officer approves; (d) give 7 days' notice if wishing to quit a job, unless authorized by Selective Service Officer to give less notice.

(separation form, but not 7 days' notice required if in building construction or joining the forces).

#### AGRICULTURAL WORKERS

are covered by special provisions. Persons regarded as "workers in agriculture" may accept employment outside that industry to a maximum of 80 days within a calendar year without permit, but only outside urban municipalities of over 5,000 population; otherwise, agricultural workers must secure a Selective Service Permit.

#### TECHNICAL PERSONNEL

may only accept employment under special permit.

#### LABOUR EXIT PERMITS

are required to work outside Canada.

#### PENALTIES AND APPEALS

Penalties are provided for non-compliance with Regulations or orders issued thereunder. Appeals against directions may be made to a Court of Referees.

#### NATIONAL SELECTIVE SERVICE OFFICERS ARE AUTHORIZED TO—

(a) Give persons unemployed for 7 days, or on part-time for 14 days, direction to accept work; (b) exercise discretion in issuing permits to seek work; (c) authorize employed persons to transfer to more essential work, and subsequently to be re-instated in original employment; (d) reduce the 7 days' notice period consistent with Regulations.

#### THE MINISTER OF LABOUR IS AUTHORIZED TO—

(a) require a person in an age class subject to military call-up to accept employment; (b) require employers to release male persons failing to furnish evidence of not contravening military call-up; (c) authorize payment of transportation and special allowances in some cases; (d) authorize anyone to leave employment to take more essential work.

The foregoing is not an exact or complete reproduction of National Selective Service Civilian Regulations. For information or copies, apply to nearest Employment and Selective Service Office.

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